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PRICE ONE CENT.

\$6 COAL IS PROMISED IN A WEEK.

Efforts of the Retailers to Keep Prices Up Despite Increased Supply Are Bound to Fail.

RUSH ON AT THE MINES.

Thousands of Men Reported for Work To-Day, but Many Find Their Old Jobs Filled—Coal Being Rushed to New York.

When the attention of Michael Burns, of Burns Brothers, No. 26 Cortlandt street, one of the largest firms of retail coal dealers in the city, was called to the proposed meeting of the retail coal dealers to-morrow to keep the price of coal at \$16 a ton for two weeks he was surprised.

"It was to be a secret committee," he remarked.

"If the coal is going to carry out their plans in this manner I gladly repudiate them," he continued. "It is ridiculous for any body of coal dealers to attempt to regulate prices for next week."

"Exposed as they have been by The Evening World for setting the price at \$15, it will be suicidal as well as outrageous for them to set a price of \$10 for the approaching two weeks."

Coal soon at \$6.

"Coal will sell in New York at \$6 before the end of the week will be reached, I expect to sell it at that figure, and I guess the rest will have to do the same. This estimate is made on the prompt delivery of coal Monday morning by the coal roads. I anticipate that the wholesale price to the retail dealer will be no more than \$4.50 per ton as before, and the only way the retailer can make good his losses is to sell coal in quantity at a fair figure rather than a little coal at a high price which the public will not stand."

The Plans of the Dealers.

The Retail Coal Dealers' Association is planning hard to make another determined effort to keep up the price of coal, and with that object in view the meeting of the Rate Committee of the Association is to be held.

The plan of the members of the committee is to cut the present schedule all down the line 33-1-3 per cent. This will bring hard coal in domestic sizes to \$10 a ton.

The present schedule price is \$15, but it is admitted by the dealers that none of the association members has held to it. The exposure by The Evening World showing that the retailers were in a conspiracy to keep coal prices at an exorbitant price created such indignation among the people that the schedule went by the board and each dealer was permitted to sell his coal for what he could get.

To Keep It Up Two Weeks.

Now comes this second effort. The schedule will be set lower, but the association plans to put it into operation on Monday with the commencement of the rush of freshly mined coal into this city and to keep it there for two weeks. After that the scheme is to make another cut to \$7.50 for the rest of November.

THOUSANDS FLOCK TO THE COAL MINES.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 22.—Thousands of men began work to-day repairing the mines and placing the collieries in condition for the general resumption of coal mining which will take place throughout the anthracite region to-morrow. Those men who are directly engaged in cutting and handling coal will not under the decision of the convention return to the mines until to-morrow morning.

While there were thousands of men who were able to again begin earning their daily bread to-day, there were hundreds who were disappointed when they applied to the superintendents of the collieries where they were formerly employed. They were principally steam men—engineers, firemen and pump-men, who struck on June 2 for an eight-hour day and also to help the miners win their battle.

New York To-Day—Chicago To-Morrow.

The Pennsylvania Special leaves New York at 12:30 P. M. arrives Chicago 8:55 A. M. Closing stock quotations on route.

HARLEM FLAT FOR MR. TWIN.

Humorist Would Prefer to Live in It in Winter, When the Landlord Has to Worry About the Coal Supply.

HEREAFTER HEAT IS O. K.

What Worries Him Is Warmth in the Suburbs, Where the Cook Is Growling and the Furniture May Help Boil the Potatoes.

"You surely don't mean to tell me you thought my letter to Secretary Shaw, of the Treasury Department, was a joke, do you?" asked Samuel Clemens when an Evening World reporter saw him in the study of his beautiful home at Riverdale and asked him what he thought about the coal situation to-day.

"I never made a more serious and urgent request in all my life," and the dark blue eyes of Mark Twain assumed a piteous and supplicating look.

"I think I underestimated the amount of fuel I will need this winter when I asked for only forty-five tons of bonds, twelve tons of greenbacks and eight barrels of stamps, but I shall be grateful if I can even get this modest order filled."

"I haven't received any answer to my communication and prayer, and I don't know what to do, for when I wrote that letter the cook had just informed me that there wasn't a lump of coal in the house. I would cut down the trees about the place, except that I fear I should miss them next summer."

No Worry for Fuel Hereafter.

"I don't see why you smile," he continued, as he brushed the ashes of his cigar from the sleeve of his coat. "I don't think it is in any sense a laughing matter. Some of us may find consolation in the thought that after we die we may be sufficiently warm, but I don't see much prospect of our being overheated in this world."

A new thought seemed to occur to him and, turning to the reporter, he asked:

"How do you solve the problem? Where do you live?"

On being told that his questioner was one of the many flat dwellers of Harlem, Mr. Clemens appeared disgusted and then pleased.

"I don't envy you in summer, but I certainly do in winter. You don't have to worry. It's the landlord's business to keep you warm, and he can afford it, but we of Riverdale and other suburban resorts have to gather together old leaves and dried grass or else climb up the furniture to obtain fuel. There is only one coal dealer here and I can't pay his prices. That bench you are sitting on would last a whole day, wouldn't it?" he asked, reflectively.

His Talk Is Not Cheap.

"No, you can't get anything out of me about the coal situation. I write for my living, and I don't propose to give any of my views in an interview. If I heard you write my ideas into that subject I would charge you ten times more than you would want to pay me, so we would never come to terms."

"What would you suggest as a remedy for coal strikes in future?" he asked.

"Just what has succeeded in ending this one," he said, arbitration. There is no use in trying to doctor for sickness until you know what disease you have got."

"But here, now, I have wasted enough of my valuable time already. I have always said I would not be interviewed, and I won't be," and Mr. Twain backed toward the entrance to his writing-room, opened the door, walked in, closed the door again and called out through the keyhole:

"Amuse yourself all you want to. Sit on that bench or eat up the books in the library. I don't care."

RIVER PIRATE DISQUALIFIED

J. E. Madden's Erratic Colt, Favorite in Betting, Wins, but Race Is Given to Sergeant Because of Foul

SPARKLE ESHER'S STAKE

Twenty-three Horses in Second Race, Which Is Won by Miss Buttermilk—Grandpa Takes the Steeplechase.

THE WINNERS.

FIRST RACE—Grand Pa 1, Silver Twist 2, Howard Gratz 3.

SECOND RACE—Miss Buttermilk 1, Honolulu 2, Sweet Billie 3.

THIRD RACE—Sparkle Esher 1, Lady Albercraft 2, Miladi Love 3.

FOURTH RACE—Sergeant 1, Mackey Dwyer 2, Injunction 3. River Pirate finished first, but was disqualified.

FIFTH RACE—Anur 1, Blackstock 2, Moon Daisy 3.

SIXTH RACE—Warranted 1, Advance Guard 2, Hermencia 3.

(Special to The Evening World.)

MORRIS PARK RACE TRACK, N. Y., Oct. 22.—The card was interesting this afternoon, though there was only one stake down for decision. The most interesting event of the day was a race at a mile for two-year-olds. River Pirate, Injunction, St. Daniel, Mackey Dwyer, Sergeant and other good youngsters were entered. More of these races should be given at this time of the year. Two-year-olds are almost three-year-olds, and races at this distance are less harmful than at the sprinting distance. The Castleton was down the chute for two-year-olds with an excellent class of youngsters engaged.

The attendance was nothing extra in spite of the good card. The weather was charming and the track fast. All possibility of a match between Hermis and McChesney is at an end. Secretary of the Jockey Club Frank Hanlon to-day received a cable from the French Jockey Club which stated that Durnell, one of the owners of McChesney, should write out his idea of the French turf. As there are reciprocal relations between France and this country in turf matters Durnell will not be permitted to race here.

FIRST RACE.

Starter	Wh. Jock.	St. H. Fin.	Betting.
Grandpa	15	3	10
Silver Twist	13	5	12
Howard Gratz	12	10	15
Marlander	10	12	18
Charagrace	10	12	18
Glavinsky	10	12	18
Deluge	10	12	18
Start fair.	Time—1:02-1-4.		

Grandpa made all the running and won easily by six lengths from Silver Twist, who was second all the way. Howard Gratz was third, a length and a half away. The favorite, Charagrace, was never prominent.

SECOND RACE.

Starter	Wh. Jock.	St. H. Fin.	Betting.
Miss Buttermilk	54	12	15
Honolulu	10	12	18
Sweet Billie	10	12	18
Master	10	12	18
Ascot	10	12	18
Lady Rader	10	12	18
Gueswork	10	12	18
Trilby Hill	10	12	18
Merrimack	10	12	18
The Black Spot	10	12	18
Antor	10	12	18
Blanche Herman	10	12	18
Meade	10	12	18
Shark	10	12	18
Miser	10	12	18
John Barleycorn	10	12	18
Callahan	10	12	18
Evelyn Maid	10	12	18
Princess H	10	12	18
Invasion	10	12	18
Choate	10	12	18
Great American	10	12	18
Start poor.	Time—1:11.		

Twenty-three horses were in the post in this race, the largest field that has raced around the track in many years. There were twenty-four starters in the Futurity, which was accounted an extraordinarily large field.

Honolulu jumped away in front and made the running to the stretch, closely followed by Sweet Billie, Miss Buttermilk and Blanche Herman. In the run home Miss Buttermilk went to the front and won cleverly by half a length from Honolulu, who was two lengths in front of Sweet Billie.

THIRD RACE.

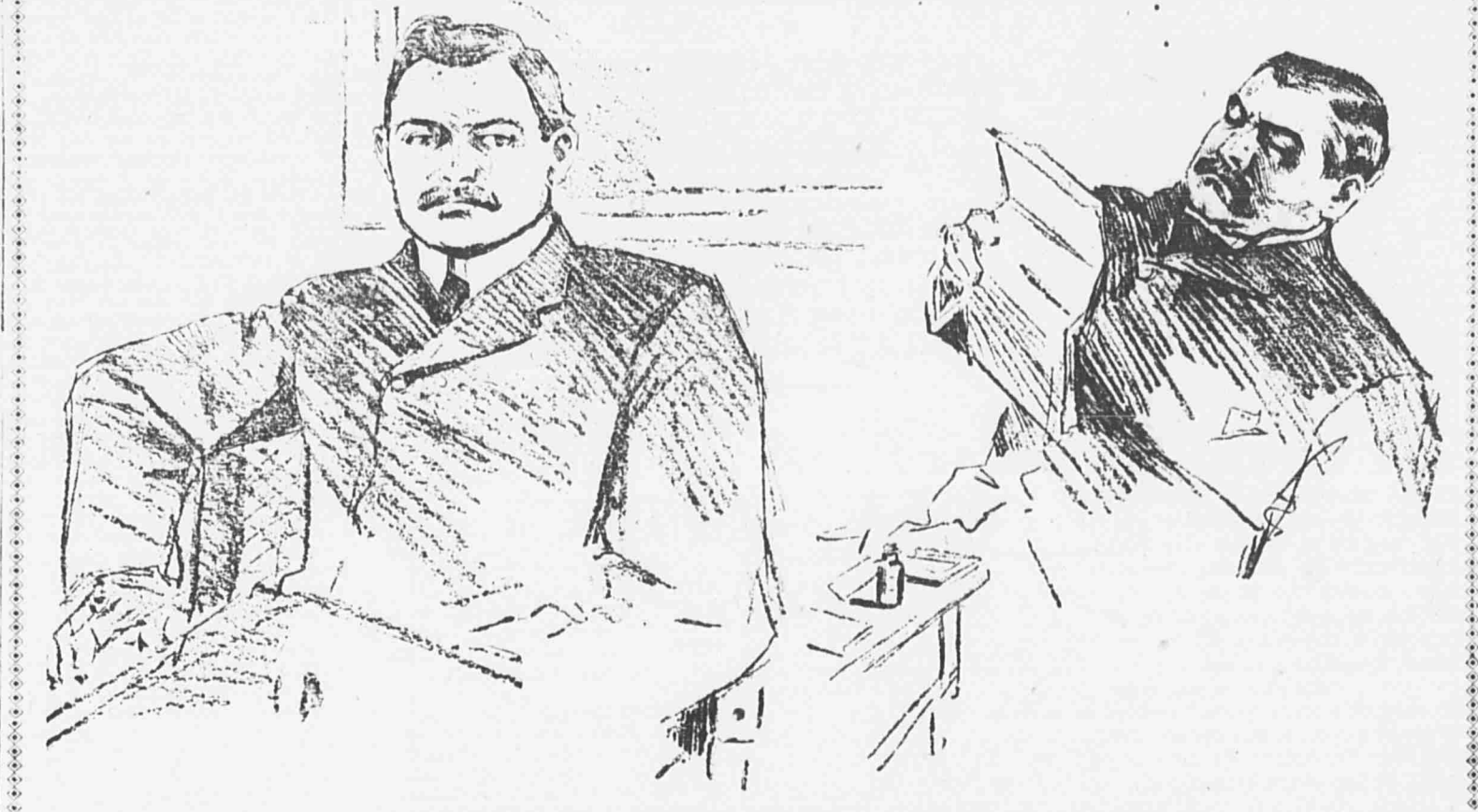
Starter	Wh. Jock.	St. H. Fin.	Betting.
Sparkle Esher	94	10	12
Lady Albercraft	10	12	18
Miladi Love	10	12	18
Lady Josephine	10	12	18
Ascot	10	12	18
Tioza	10	12	18
Lady Lake	10	12	18
Ky Row	10	12	18
Pride of Galore	10	12	18
Interval	10	12	18
Start good.	Time—1:09-1-2.		

Lady Albercraft made all the running.

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Neuragmine cures neuralgia and all pains and aches. Price 25¢ & 50¢ a bottle. All druggists.

DR. POTTER AND CAPTAIN M'CLUSKY ON WITNESS STAND IN MOLINEUX TRIAL.



SOCIETY GIRLS IN FEAR OF RABIES.

Bitten by a Pet Dog They Hasten to the Pasteur Institute Here to Take the Hydrophobia Treatment.

PROMINENT IN THE ORANGES.

Two of the best known young society women of the Oranges went to the Pasteur Institute in West Twenty-third street to-day to be treated for rabies. They haven't the disease yet and they hope they won't have it, but they have been bitten by a dog which died the next day with symptoms of hydrophobia, and rather than take any chances they have submitted themselves to the Pasteur treatment.

Slaves of Prominent Man.

The young women are the Misses Phoebe and Mary Rollinson, who live in Northfield road, West Orange. They are sisters of Simeon H. Rollinson, a member of the Town Council of West Orange, Democratic candidate for County Clerk of Essex County and a director of the Orange National Bank.

They were bitten last Friday by their pet cocker spaniel. The dog had been as affectionate and as harmless as most of these dogs are and there was nothing in his appearance to indicate that he was not in the best of health. The young women were playing with him when without cause the dog lost his temper and bit one of them.

They caught him and slapped him and the dog turned on her. The bites were not at all serious in themselves, and after they had them cauterized, little more was thought about them. There was no disposition to kill the dog even.

The next day the dog became very ill and that night he died. Physicians made microscopic examinations of his brain and determined that his death was due to rabies. This made the matter much more serious, and it was decided to take the safest course and send the young women to the Pasteur Institute.

Became Greatly Alarmed.

When they learned that the dog was mad, they became greatly alarmed, but they consented to undergo the treatment. They were quite hysterical when they arrived, but Dr. Randau, who treated them, assured them that the percentage of cures in the Institute was at least 100 and they calmed down. They will remain in the hospital twenty-one days, and then Dr. Randau guarantees to send them home dog-proof.

TRIPLE WRECK; ONE DEAD.

Fog Shrouded Freight Wreck and Express Plunged in Debris.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 22.—The dense fog to-day was the cause of a west-bound passenger train on the Pennsylvania Railroad crashing into a freight wreck near New Florence, resulting in the death of H. D. Coal, the fireman of the express. None of the passengers was hurt. Trains in both directions were delayed for several hours.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists know the money it fails to cost. W. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25¢ & 50¢.

NOTED BEARDED WOMAN IS DEAD

Mrs. Annie Donovan, Who Gained Fame with Barnum Because of Whiskers, Dies in Brooklyn.

CONSUMPTION KILLS HER.

"Barnum's Bearded Lady," who has shown her whiskers in almost every hamlet in America and in every city of the civilized world, died of consumption to-day in her home, No. 187 Cornelia street, Williamsburg.

She will be buried as she has lived, a freak, with her whiskers uncut. This was her dying request. No boy budding into manhood with down on his upper lip, no old gallant with a bewildering adornment of hair on his face, was ever prouder of nature's gifts in this respect than "Barnum's Bearded Lady," who for many of the thirty-seven years of her life gloried in whiskers unsurpassed by few men.

Was Married Twice.

The woman's name in private life was Mrs. Annie Donovan. She is said to have been married twice. Her first husband died and her second husband either left

TEN-YEAR-OLD PAUL DAMBLE RUN DOWN BY E. V. NEAL'S AUTO

An automobile owned and operated by E. V. Neal, of No. 110 Riverside Drive, was speeding along Eighty-fourth street this afternoon when Paul A. Damble, ten years old, of No. 162 West Eighty-fourth street, attempted to cross the street. The boy was knocked down and had his face badly lacerated. He was removed to his home.

LATE RESULTS AT WORTH.

Fourth Race—Linguist 1, Ravina 2, Sara Maxim 3. Fifth Race—Alfred C. 1, Worthington 2, Edinborough 3. Sixth Race—Huzzah 1, Scotch Plaid 2, Edith Q. 3.

AT ST. LOUIS.

Fourth Race—Elastic 1, Dr. Scharff 2, Hilee 3. Fifth Race—Schwalbe 1, Doeskin 2, Jack Demund 3.

FOOTBALL RESULTS.

At Annapolis—Pennsylvania: 6; Navy: 10. At Fordham—First half: New Paltz: 0; Fordham: 17.

DEAD CHILD'S FATHER PAID SCIENCE HEALER FOR VISITS.

WHITE PLAINS, Oct. 22.—At the inquest into the death of Esther Quimby, the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Quimby, who died at her parents' home of malignant diphtheria without having had regular medical attendance, the father of the child testified that she had been attended by John C. Lathrop, a Christian Science "healer," of New York. He said Lathrop had been paid a dollar a visit in addition to railroad fare.

KELLY'S CHECKS GO TO "BIG TIM"

District-Attorney Jerome Says Sullivan's Name Is in Book Seized During Raid on "Honest John."

TWO ARE FOR LARGE SUMS.

District-Attorney Jerome said this afternoon that the stubs of the check book found by him during the recent raid made on the gambling-house conducted by "Honest" John Kelly, showed that Senator Timothy D. Sullivan had received two checks from Kelly.

The first of these was for \$2,365, paid out on Aug. 2, 1901.

The second was for \$1,000, paid out on Nov. 2, 1901.

The District-Attorney said he believed the latter was a campaign contribution and that the first check was given to the Senator probably to make up losses during a "bad night's" play.

At the time of the raid Mr. Jerome said that he was at last on the track of the real "John Doe." He said that not only was an East Side Democratic politician implicated but a well-known Republican politician of the West Side.

Mr. Jerome added that he considered his check-book stub evidence as practically convincing.

SUICIDE TO ESCAPE PAIN.

Crased by pain in her feet, sixty-three-year-old Elizabeth Bateman killed herself in her home at No. 530 Putnam avenue, Brooklyn, to-day to escape the agony. She drank several ounces of carbolic acid while at the breakfast table with her aged husband, William.

Mr. and Mrs. Bateman lived alone. They had no children. Mr. Bateman retired from business some years ago with a good-sized bank account. At breakfast at 11:30 o'clock Mrs. Bateman complained that the pain in her feet was worse than ever. Going to a closet she took out a bottle of carbolic acid, and turning to her husband, said:

"I can't stand the pain any longer. I'm going to stop it now forever."

She had the bottle to her lips before her husband could reach her. As she fell Mr. Bateman ran from the house, shouting for the police. An ambulance came from the German Hospital, but the surgeon's services were needed for the old man, not the woman. She was dead.

The husband had to be carried into the house. The shock had almost paralyzed him and his recovery is doubtful.

20 Hours to Chicago.

The Pennsylvania Special leaves New York at 12:30 P. M. arrives Chicago 8:55 A. M. Closing stock quotations on route.

COURT LETS THE BARNET LETTERS IN.

Justice Lambert Permits Disputed Writings to Be Used as Standards of Comparison Against Molineux.

NOT READ TO THE JURY.

Expert Kinsley Declares These Letters and the Address on Poison Package Were Written by the Prisoner.

Justice Lambert this afternoon admitted the so-called Barnett letters as a "standard of comparison" as evidence in the Molineux case. This was against the protest of Molineux's counsel, ex-Gov. Black.

The letters were not read to the jury and the death of Barnett will not be mixed up with the poisoning of Mrs. Adams, but the fact is before the jury that certain disputed writings signed by Barnett exist.

The question as to the admissibility of these letters was formally raised while William J. Kinsley, the first handwriting expert, was on the stand. Kinsley first identified some writing he saw Molineux do and then declared that the letter written to Frederick Starnes & Co. in Detroit, and signed "H. Cornish" was written by the same hand.

Mr. Osborne offered the letter in evidence and ex-Gov. Black objected. Justice Lambert overruled the objection and the letter was read to the jury. It was the first important victory for the prosecution and Mr. Osborne followed it up by declaring that the letter would complete the proof that Molineux had a letter box at No. 1620 Broadway.

Molineux Unconcerned.

Then the Barnett letters were admitted as standards of comparison. Kinsley said they were all written by Molineux, who listened without a show of emotion.

Kinsley declared that Molineux had written the address on the poison package sent to Cornish.

Prisoner's Friend Helps State.

Charles D. Allen, friend of Roland B. Molineux, who worked side by side with him for two years in Newark, this afternoon added a link to the chain of evidence which Assistant District-Attorney Osborne is wielding against the accused.

Allen in a minor point seemed to strengthen the story of Joseph J. Koch, the man who testified that Molineux had rented from him a private letter box at No. 1620 Broadway in the name of "H. C. Cornish." He said that at Molineux's request he had written to Koch for a copy of a publication known as The Studio. They wished to get a list of dry color users.

Koch's Testimony Important.

Koch's testimony concerning the rental of the letter-box was important testimony given at the morning session. The admission of parts of his story was fought inch by inch by Mr. Black. Mr. Osborne had great difficulty getting before the jury the fact that the so-called Harper letter was received there, but it was finally admitted.

Ex-Gov. Black was severe in his cross-examination of Koch. He tried to cast doubt on his memory of Molineux and to discredit his story by showing Koch had sold it to the newspapers.

Before Koch went on the stand Dr. H. Styles Potter testified that he had been called in to see Mrs. Adams after she had taken some of the poison sent to Cornish, and Capt. McCluskey gave details of how the police worked up the case.

WRESTS ADMISSIONS FROM DR. POTTER.

Hope of seeing Mrs. Roland B. Molineux brought another big crowd this morning to the court-room where her husband is on trial. She was not present.

Molineux appeared cheerful when brought into the court. He talked with his father, who expressed himself as greatly pleased with the progress of the trial.

Justice Lambert was on hand promptly but ex-Gov. Black and Barlow S. Weeks were two minutes late. They explained to the court that their car had been delayed. Then the trial was resumed.

Dr. H. Styles Potter was the first witness called for the day. He had been summoned by Dr. Hitchcock while it was found that Mrs. Adams was dead.